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11. (U) Poloff delivered biographic data and a copy of the nonpaper urging Nigerian support of the U.S. candidate Dr. Ines R. Triay to serve as President of the Third Review Meeting of the Contracting Parties to the Joint Convention on the Safety of Spent Fuel Management and on the Safety of Radioactive Waste Management (Joint Convention) in Vienna from May 11-20, 2009 per reftel. Materials were given to Maria Laose, Deputy Director of the First United Nations Division at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs on October 3. There was no immediate substantive response. Any future responses of note will be reported septel.